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House of Representatives

The House met at 11 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SARBANES).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

> WASHINGTON, DC, September 14, 2021.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JOHN P. SARBANES to act as Speaker pro tempore on

NANCY PELOSI, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following

Holy God, deal with us according to Your love, and by Your grace transform all that we set forth to do this day. Reveal Your loving kindness to us. Direct our steps; give us evidence of Your mercy that we would be compelled to follow Your commands and live according to Your law.

It is clearly time, O Lord, for You to act. We are beholden to Your faithful promises to step in on our behalf. Your law is being broken. Your gracious design for peace in our land is being overwhelmed by acts of terrorism. And Your desire for unity is being undermined by seeds of spite and doubt.

When all around us threatens to subvert even our most noble efforts, may we appreciate that as Your servants we must yield our whole selves to the way You would have us go.

When our own eyes fail and we long for Your salvation, may we have faith enough in Your mercy to know that You will give us Your vision.

And when we are depleted of energy and ideas, may we trust that You will grant us discernment and embolden our efforts.

We commit this day, and all it throws in our way, to the redemption of Your hands. And we pray this prayer trusting in Your sovereign name.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(a) of House Resolution 188, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR OF COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the chair of the Committee on Ethics:

House of Representatives, COMMITTEE ON ETHICS.

Washington, DC, September 7, 2021. Hon, NANCY PELOSI.

Speaker, Washington, DC.

DEAR SPEAKER PELOSI: On August 2, 2021, the Committee on Ethics (Committee) received notice of a fine imposed upon Representative Marjorie Taylor Greene by the Sergeant at Arms pursuant to House Resolution 38 and House Rule II, clause 3(g). Representative Greene did not file an appeal with the Committee prior to the expiration of the time period specified in clause 3(g)(3)(B) of House Rule II.

Sincerely,

THEODORE E. DEUTCH, Chairman. JACKIE WALORSKI, Ranking Member.

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR OF COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the chair of the Committee on Ethics:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, COMMITTEE ON ETHICS, Washington, DC, September 7, 2021.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI, Speaker, Washington, DC.

DEAR SPEAKER PELOSI: On August 2, 2021, the Committee on Ethics (Committee) received notice of a fine imposed upon Representative Chip Roy by the Sergeant at Arms pursuant to House Resolution 38 and House Rule II, clause 3(g). Representative Roy did not file an appeal with the Committee prior to the expiration of the time period specified in clause 3(g)(3)(B) of House Rule II.

Sincerely

THEODORE E. DEUTCH, Chairman. Jackie Walorski, Ranking Member.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(b) of House Resolution 188, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. on Friday, September 17,

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 4 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, September 17, 2021, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-2119. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Legislation, Regulation and Energy Efficiency, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final - Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards and Test Procedures for Ceiling Fans [EERE-2013-BT-TP-

☐ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., ☐ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



0050] (RIN: 1904-AD88) received August 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-2120. A letter from the Chief, Revenue and Receivables, Financial Operations, Federal Communications Commission, transmiting the Department's final rule — Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for Fiscal Year 2021 [MB Docket No.: 21-190] received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-2121. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Related Steel Structures and Steel-Plate Composite (SC) Walls for other than Reactor Vessels and Containments [Regulatory Guide 1.243, Rev. 0] received August 27, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-2122. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's NUREG — Final Safety Evaluation of Technical Specifications Task Force Traveler TSTF-554, "Revise Reactor Coolant Leakage Requirements" [NUREG-1430, NUREG-1431, NUREG-1432, NUREG-1433, NUREG-1434, NUREG-2194] received August 27, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A), Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-2123. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's issuance of regulatory guide — Implementation of Aging Management Requirements for Spent Fuel Storage Renewals [Regulatory Guide 3.796, Rev. 0] received August 27, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-2124. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-169, "Protecting Consumers from Unjust Debt Collection Practices Temporary Amendment Act of 2021"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2125. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-170, "Targeted Historic Preservation Assistance Temporary Amendment Act of 2021"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform

Oversight and Reform. EC-2126. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-171, "Recess Reprograming Temporary Amendment Act of 2021"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2127. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-168, "Public Emergency Extension and Eviction and Utility Moratorium Phasing Temporary Amendment Act of 2021"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2128. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-162, "Green Finance Authority Board Quorum Temporary Amendment Act of 2021"; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2129. A letter from the Director, Office of Acquisition Policy, Office of Government-wide Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Federal Acquisition Regulation; Technical Amendments [FAC 2021-07; Item V; Docket No.: FAR-2021-0052; Sequence No. 3] received August 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2130. A letter from the Director, Office of Acquisition Policy, Office of Governmentwide Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's small entity compliance guide — Federal Acquisition Regulation; Federal Acquisition Circular 2021-07 [Docket No.: FAR-2021-0051, Sequence No. 4] received August 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-2131. A letter from the Management and Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Class E Airspace; Scott City, KS [Docket No.: FAA-2021-0159; Airspace Docket No.: 21-ACE-6] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

EC-2132. A letter from the Management and Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revocation of Class E Airspace; Standish, MI [Docket No.: FAA-2021-0277; Airspace Docket No.: 21-AGL-19] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-2133. A letter from the Management and Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Class E Airspace; Tuscaloosa, AL [Docket No.: FAA-2021-0171; Airspace Docket No.: 21-ASO-4] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

ture. EC-2134. A letter from the Management and Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Amendment of Area Navigation (RNAV) Route Q-29; Northeastern United States [Docket No.: FAA-2020-1147; Airspace Docket No.: 20-ASO-30] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-2135. A letter from the Associate Administrator for Policy, FMCSA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Certification for Conducting Driver or Vehicle Inspections, Safety Audits, or Investigations [Docket No.: FMCSA-2019-0081) (RIN: 2126-AA64) received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

EC-2136. A letter from the Regulations Writer-Federal Register Liaison, Office of Regulations and Reports Clearance, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Removing the Waiting Period for Entitlement to Social Security Disability Insurance Benefits for Individuals With Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis [Docket No.: SSA-2021-0017] (RIN: 0960-AI59) received September 10, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

EC-2137. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems for Acute Care Hospitals and the Long-Term Care Hospital Prospective Payment System

and Policy Changes and Fiscal Year 2022 Rates; Quality Programs and Medicare Promoting Interoperability Program Requirements for Eligible Hospitals and Critical Access Hospitals; Changes to Medicaid Provider Enrollment; and Changes to the Medicare Shared Savings Program [CMS-1752-F and CMS-1762-F] (RIN: 0938-AU44 and 0938-AU56) received August 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (11) Stat. 868); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 4089. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to develop and disseminate best practices for rental companies and dealers to report suspicious behavior to law enforcement agencies at the point of sale of a covered rental vehicle to prevent and mitigate acts of terrorism using motor vehicles, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 117–119). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state the Union.

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 4611. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to issue guidance with respect to certain information and communications technology or services contracts, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 117–120). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi: Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 4363. A bill to establish a daily reporting requirement for covered contract awards of the Department of Homeland Security, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 117-121). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Committee on Homeland Security. H.R. 4691. A bill to establish a K-12 education cybersecurity initiative, and for other purposes; (Rept. 117–122). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

(Omitted from the Record of September 10, 2021)
Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

House Resolution 626. The Committees on Oversight and Reform, Foreign Affairs, Armed Services, Transportation and Infrastructure, the Judiciary, Homeland Security, and Intelligence (Permanent Select) discharged from further consideration. Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. AMODEI:

H.R. 5243. A bill to modernize the Fallon Range Training Complex in Churchill County, Nevada, through the withdrawal and reservation of additional public lands for military use, to provide for transfer of ownership of certain Federal lands in northern Nevada, to authorize the disposal of certain Federal lands in northern Nevada for economic development, to promote conservation in